

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

HUI ZHANG, ET AL.

Application No.: 10/074,462

Filed: February 11, 2002

For: **METHOD OF AND SYSTEM FOR ALLOCATING
RESOURCES TO RESOURCE REQUESTS**

Art Group: 2154

Examiner: Ashokkumar B. Patel

Confirmation No.: 8964

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.97

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In accordance with the duty of disclosure, enclosed is a copy of IDS Citation Form PTO/SB/08 or PTO-1449, together with copies of the documents cited on that form, except for copies not required to be submitted (e.g., copies of U.S. patents and U.S. published patent applications need not be enclosed). This IDS and IDS Citation Form are being submitted concurrently with the Request for Continued Examination. It is respectfully requested that the cited references be considered and that the enclosed copy of PTO/SB/08 be initialed by the Examiner to indicate such consideration and a copy thereof returned to applicant(s).

The submission of this Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made in the subject application and is not to be construed as an admission that the information cited in this statement is material to patentability.

Please charge any fees due to Deposit Account 02-2666. A duplicate copy of the Fee Transmittal (PTO/SB/17) is enclosed for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

BLAKELY, SOKOLOFF, TAYLOR & ZAFMAN LLP

Date: July 5, 2007

/Gregory D. Caldwell/

Gregory D. Caldwell, Reg. No. 39,926

1279 Oakmead Parkway
Sunnyvale, CA 94085-4040
Telephone: (503) 439-8778

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being submitted electronically via EFS Web on the date shown below.

/Annie G. Pearson/

July 5, 2007

Annie G. Pearson

Date

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 no Persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMR control number

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT**

(Use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet

1

of

2

Complete if Known

Application Number	10/074,462
Filing Date	2/11/2002
First Named Inventor	Hui Zhang
Art Unit	2154
Examiner Name	Ashokkumar B. Patel
Attorney Docket Number	2717P056

U. S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Document Number Number-Kind Code ² (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		US- 5,974,518	10/26/1999	Nogradi, Christopher I.	
		US- 5,561,807	10/01/1996	Verplanken et al.	
		US- 5,315,708	05/24/1994	Eidler et al.	
		US- 6,937,606	08/30/2005	Basso et al.	
		US- 5,396,490	03/07/1995	White et al.	
		US- 6,208,650	03/27/2001	Hassell et al.	
		US- 6,724,767	04/20/2004	Chong et al.	
		US- 6,490,281	12/03/2002	Abler et al.	
		US- 6,781,992	08/24/2004	Rana et al.	
		US- 4,766,534	08/23/1988	DeBenedictis, Erik P.	
		US- 5,745,694	04/28/1998	Egawa et al.	
		US- 6,233,615	05/15/2001	Van Loo, William	
		US- 6,304,906	10/16/2001	Bhatti et al.	
		US- 6,327,622	12/04/2001	Jindal et al.	
		US- 6,625,650	09/23/2003	Stelliga, Tony	
		US- 7,072,981	07/04/2006	O'Rourke et al.	
		US- 2002/0016856	02/07/2002	Tallegas et al.	
		US- 2003/0093496	05/15/2003	O'Connor et al.	
		US- 2004/0162901	08/19/2004	Mangipudi et al.	
		US- 2003/0149690	08/07/2003	Kudlacik et al.	
		US- 2003/0014525	01/16/2003	De Lima et al.	
		US- 5,826,082	10/20/1998	Bishop et al.	
		US- 5,553,242	09/03/1996	Russell et al.	
		US- 6,411,986	06/25/2002	Susai et al.	
		US- 5,937,169	08/10/1999	Connery et al.	
		US- 6,606,315	08/12/2003	Albert et al.	
		US- 6,606,316	08/12/2003	Albert et al.	
		US- 6,628,654	09/30/2003	Albert et al.	
		US- 6,891,839	05/10/2005	Albert et al.	
		US- 6,735,169	05/11/2004	Albert et al.	
		US- 6,704,278	03/09/2004	Albert et al.	
		US- 6,687,222	02/03/2004	Albert et al.	
		US- 6,650,641	11/18/2003	Albert et al.	
		US- 6,633,560	10/14/2003	Albert et al.	
		US- 6,549,516	04/15/2003	Albert et al.	

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

¹EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 600. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and note on line. Considered, including copy of this form with next communication to applicant. "Applicant's" designations (number, if applicable). See Kinda Code of the USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 900.04. "Emperor" Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ²Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 no Persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMR control number

Substitute for form 1449B/PTO				<i>Complete if Known</i>	
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT				Application Number	10/074,462
(Use as many sheets as necessary)				Filing Date	2/11/2002
				First Named Inventor	Hui Zhang
				Art Unit	2154
				Examiner Name	Ashokkumar B. Patel
Sheet	2	of	2	Attorney Docket Number	2717P056

NON-PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS

Examiner Signature		Date Considered	
-----------------------	--	--------------------	--

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is provided by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.